GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

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PETROL PUMPS
ASHOK ARGAL

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

the estimated number of petrol pumps to be set up after privatization of the petroleum sector?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTYR OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

In addition to the locations pending from previous Marketing plans, 927 retail outlet dealerships have been included in the marketing plan 1996-98. Locations included in the marketing plan are advertised by the Oil companies from time to time for selection of dealers through the Dealer Selection Boards.It generally takes about 6-12 months for commissioning of the dealerships from the date of interview. De-regulation of petroleum sector is scheduled from April, 2002. Retail Outlet Marketing Plan beyond 2002 has not been prepared.